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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2851

In re Application of:

Docket No. 35.G2254

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HIDEO KATO, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/159,775

Examiner: K. Brown

Filed: September 24, 1998

Group Art Unit: 2851

For: ILLUMINATOR, EXPOSURE APPARATUS,
AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING
DEVICE USING THE SAME

Date: April 11, 2001

DIRECTOR, THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
BOX AF
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final Rejection in the above-identified application.

☒ An additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	111	MINUS	51	60	x \$ 9 \$18	\$ 1080.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	9	MINUS	11	0	x \$40 \$80	\$ 0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$135°/\$270						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$ 1080.00

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☐ °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

☒ A check in the amount of \$1,080.00 is enclosed.

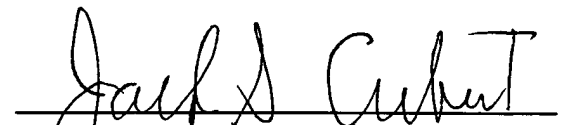
☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the Extension fee for response within _____ months is enclosed.

☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

☒ Applicants' attorney, Steven E. Warner, may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.



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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated September 7, 2000, the time for response to which having been extended for three months to March 7, 2001 and further extended two months by the Notice of Appeal to May 7, 2001, both of which were filed on March 7, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116: